

**From:** [Larson, Darrin](#)  
**To:** [Fanning, Cynthia](#)  
**Cc:** [R6HarveyInfo](#)  
**Subject:** Re: M6H1 Harvey Response - Photos Requested  
**Date:** Saturday, September 2, 2017 7:20:19 PM

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I understand, but I don't think we're going to be successful asking people to upload to Flickr and then have them type the same info in an email. That's what I'm concerned about.

Sent from my iPhone

On Sep 2, 2017, at 7:13 PM, Fanning, Cynthia <[fanning.cynthia@epa.gov](mailto:fanning.cynthia@epa.gov)> wrote:

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I would prefer not to be the recipient of Harvey photos. The purpose of setting up a Flickr account is so that photos can be sent there, and not to an individual. Then, designated personnel who need access to the photos can receive the user ID and password.

Our original instructions asked that a cc be sent to the [R6Press@epa.gov](mailto:R6Press@epa.gov), which would get it into EPA's email and recordkeeping system. If we want to replace that email address with a SitU email, that would work, as well.

The instructions for submitting photos were sent by Terri earlier.

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I just spoke to Terri, and we think it would make sense to have two sets of instructions – one for PIOs (who will include the REOC PIO in the email w/ photos), and one for field personnel.

Cindy – can you look at the instructions from Monica below and let Diane know what else you'd like to add (like tags), so she can talk to Monica about it?

Field PIO

<!--[if !supportLists]-->- <!--[endif]--> Send photos to the REOC  
PIO with the information requested below, with a cc to R6HarveySitL and Cindy  
Fanning (or someone else in 6XA)  
<!--[if !supportLists]-->- <!--[endif]--> Cindy can post them on  
Flickr with the information needed

IMT field personnel

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Looping in Cindy because I know her instructions ask for adding a “tag” in the body of the email to make it easy to sort and search photos. Perhaps that is something we can ask be done—i.e have Monica add it to her instructions.

*Terri*

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It sounds like there are at least three requests for photos

- our Flickr site
- [R6HarveySitL@epa.gov](mailto:R6HarveySitL@epa.gov) (per Monica's email today)
- PIO input to the daily updates

Here's what I propose as a way to make this efficient:

<!--[if !supportLists]-->- <!--[endif]--> The field PIO will send  
photos to the REOC PIO with the information requested below, with a cc to  
R6HarveySitL and Cindy Fanning (or someone else in 6XA)  
<!--[if !supportLists]-->- <!--[endif]--> Cindy can post them on  
Flickr with the information needed

Sound good?

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**Cc:** R6HarveySITL <[R6HarveySITL@epa.gov](mailto:R6HarveySITL@epa.gov)>  
**Subject:** photo log

Please provide photographs of daily activities at the end of each day to: [r6harveysitl@epa.gov](mailto:r6harveysitl@epa.gov).

These photos should be action shots of response activities, preferably with EPA insignia clearly visible. As a reminder, please ensure that all personnel in the photos are wearing proper PPE. Also include photos which show the agencies who are in unified command.

Additionally, for each photo, please provide information on WHO is in the photo, WHAT is going on in the photo and WHERE the photo was taken.

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**Importance:** High

Darrin:

As I prepare the PIO information for the UPDATES prepared twice daily, we have been requested to provide any photos meeting the following parameters:

Field Photo

EPA Personnel in EPA Insignia wear

Utilizing Property Protective Equipment

Provide a caption including: Who, Where, When and What.

They want me to include this in my PIO submission. Let me know how you would like to get this done. Would you email me any information you collect? Would I get this from the Flickr site?

Let me know if you have anything for me to include this evening for tomorrow morning's report, and let me know what you think our process should be for doing this.

Thanks.

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